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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 Sir:

The above-identified applicant respectfully requests a one-month extension of time within which to file a response to the Advisory Action dated July 22, 2003, following the Office Action dated April 22, 2003. A check in the amount of \$55 is enclosed herewith to cover the fee for a one-month extension.

Please charge any additional fees, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account 11-0855. A duplicate copy of this sheet is attached.

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